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# PLASTIC MAN

P-PLAS! YOU GOTTA HELP ME---OR I'M FINISHED!
I-I CAN'T GET FREE, WOOZY!
YOU ARE DONE FOR THIS TIME, PLASTIC MAN! HA! YOU FAILED TO RECKON WITH THE POWER OF IRON FIST! HAVE NO MERCY, MEN! DESTROY THEM BOTH!

*NEVER BEFORE HAD PLASTIC MAN OR WOOZY MET HEADLONG WITH SUCH A FIENDISH BAND! FOR EACH WAS A MASTER ASSASSIN, EACH TRAINED TO PERFECTION IN THE ART OF* **SUDDEN DEATH!** *AND IT SEEMED NO POWER ON EARTH COULD SAVE THE FAMED MIRACLE MAN OF BOUNCE AS HE FELL UNDER THE VICIOUS ATTACK OF THE INFAMOUS---*

## TRIO OF TYRANNY

ALONG A SHADOWY STREET WOOZY, PLASTIC MAN'S LITTLE PARTNER, WALKS PEACEFULLY ALONG UNAWARE OF THE DANGER AWAITING HIM!
SUDDENLY, TERROR MOVES IN UPON WOOZY!
ONE MOVE AND YOU'RE A DEAD MAN!
HANDS UP!
U-ULP!
THEN...
WELL, IT'S JUST ABOUT TIME TO MOVE INTO...
---ACTION!
WHEEEEEE
HE'S MAKING A BREAK!
T-THE SIGNAL!
BAM! BAM!
YEOW!
WOW! ATTA BOY, PLAS!
SUDDENLY, PLASTIC MAN RELEASES THE TWO "HOODS" AND THE FACES OF ALL BREAK OUT IN SMILES!
PLASTIC MAN, I'M SURE GLAD YOU'RE ON OUR F.B.I. TEAM! WE DIDN'T HAVE A CHANCE OF ELUDING YOU!
NO SIREE! THAT BIT OF PLAY WOULD HAVE MEANT TWO MORE CRIMINALS FOR FEDERAL PRISON!
THANK YOU, GENTLEMEN! I HOPE I DIDN'T ROUGH YOU UP TOO MUCH DURING THE DEMONSTRATION!
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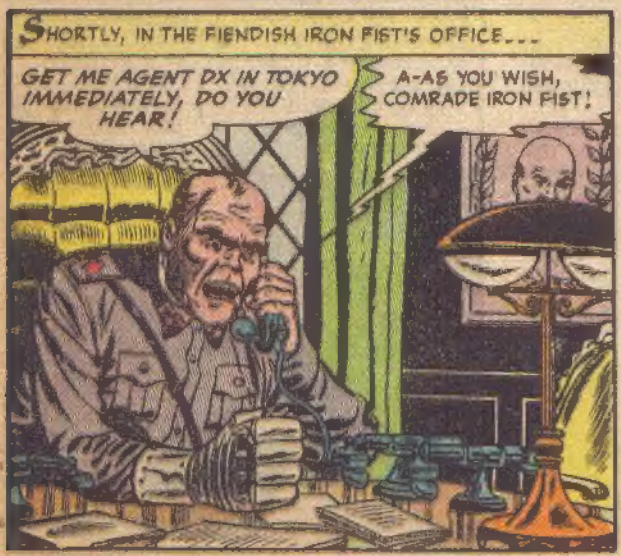
THEN, THE AMAZING "MAN OF BOUNCE" EXPLAINS HIS MANEUVERS TO THE INSTRUCTOR AUDIENCE AT THE F.B.I. TRAINING SCHOOL!
YOU SEE, GENTLEMEN, BY UTTERING THAT LOW WHISTLE BEFORE ATTACKING THE MEN, WOOZY WAS ABLE TO DUCK AT THE PRECISE MOMENT OF SAFETY AND AVOID THEIR BULLETS! I'M SURE I COULD EXTRICATE ANY FEDERAL MAN FROM A LIKE DIFFICULTY IN THE SAME MANNER!
GREAT, PLASTIC MAN! WE'LL HAVE A RECORDING OF THAT WARNING CALL MADE! WHEN ANY AGENT IS IN TROUBLE HE'LL BE PREPARED FOR JUST SUCH A MANEUVER BY KNOWING YOU'RE IN ACTION!

CHIEF BRANNER JUST CALLED, PLASTIC MAN! HE'D LIKE TO SEE YOU IN HIS OFFICE RIGHT AWAY!
THANK YOU! WELL, GENTLEMEN, DUTY CALLS! SO LONG... IT'S BEEN A PLEASURE!
GEE... I WONDER WHAT'S UP?
SHORTLY, AFTER PLASTIC MAN AND WOOZY ARRIVE IN CHIEF BRANNER'S OFFICE!
SO THAT'S IT, PLAS! AMBASSADOR FAULKNER MUST MAKE THIS INTERNATIONAL GOODWILL TOUR TO PREACH ANTI-COMMUNISM TO TOTTERING NATIONS! AND HE'LL NEED PROTECTION AGAINST ANY UNDERCOVER MOVES BY RED AGENTS WHO MIGHT WISH TO INTERFERE!
I SEE, CHIEF BRANNER! AND YOU WANT WOOZY AND ME TO ACT AS HIS BODYGUARDS!
EXACTLY! NOW, HIS TOUR WILL TAKE HIM FIRST TO TOKYO THEN ON TO CAIRO AND ROME! WE'VE MADE RESERVATIONS FOR THE THREE OF YOU TO LEAVE VIA PLANE FROM THE WEST COAST!
I REGRET TAKING AN IMPORTANT PERSON LIKE YOU AWAY ON SUCH AN EXTENDED TOUR, PLASTIC MAN!
AW... THINK NOTHIN' OF IT, MR. AMBASSADOR! PLAS AND I DON'T MIND... IT'S OUR JOBS!
WOOZY'S RIGHT, SIR! WELL, CHIEF, WOOZY AND I WILL DO EVERY-THING POSSIBLE TO CARRY OUT OUR ASSIGNMENT! SO LONG...
GOODBYE, PLAS! WE'RE COUNTING ON YOU!
WITHIN MINUTES AFTER WORD OF THE AMBASSADOR'S TOUR IS ANNOUNCED PUBLICLY THE NKVD CODE ROOM IN THE KREMLIN BUZZES WITH THE SHOCKING REPORT!
BOSH! THE AMERICAN SWINE ARE OUT TO SABOTAGE OUR GLORIOUS EFFORTS AGAIN! BRING THIS TO COMRADE IRON FIST IMMEDIATELY... HE IS IN THE DUNGEON!
THE DUNGEON! T-THEN... HE IS AT IT AGAIN! I DO NOT KNOW HOW MUCH LONGER MY STOMACH CAN TAKE IRON FIST'S CLEVER METHODS OF INDOCTRINATION!
FAR BELOW NKVD HEADQUARTERS IN THE DAMPNESS OF THE DUNGEON...
YAHHHHH! NO! NO! --- LEAVE ME ALONE!
A-AN IMPORTANT MESS-AGE... FOR IRON FIST!
ENTER!
I-I CAN'T STAND IT ANY LONGER! VERY WELL... I WILL SPY ON MY FAMILY FOR YOU! LEAVE ME ALONE PLEASE!
NEXT TIME I WILL CRUSH THAT SKULL OF YOURS IF YOU ARE SO STUB-BORN, BOROVITCH!
C-COMRADE I-IRON FIST... THIS MESSAGE FROM OUR AGENTS IN AMERICA... I-IT HAS JUST BEEN DECODED!

AS THE INCREDIBLE NKVD CHIEF SCANS THE MESSAGE HIS MANIACAL FACE FLUSHES IN A FIT OF RAGE!
SO! THE IDIOTIC AMERICANS ARE SENDING A TONGUE-WAGGING AMBASSADOR AROUND THE WORLD TO FIGHT OUR CAUSE! WE WILL SEE ABOUT THIS--- HIS FIRST STOP IS TOKYO, EH?



SOON, AMBASSADOR FAULKNER'S DEATH IS BEING PLOTTED OVER MOSCOW'S DIRECT LINE TO TOKYO!
DO NOT WORRY, IRON FIST! I MYSELF WILL TAKE THE LIFE OF THIS INSOLENT AMERICAN AMBASSADOR!
YOU HAD BETTER, CRUSHER... IF YOU WANT TO REMAIN ON OUR PAY ROLL! I WANT MY ORDERS CARRIED OUT TO THE LETTER! THAT IS ALL!

THUS IT IS THAT ONE OF SOVIET RUSSIA'S MOST INFAMOUS AGENTS SEEKS TO MURDER AMBASSADOR FAULKNER! CAN PLAS AND WOOZY SAVE HIM IN THEIR ROLLS AS BODYGUARDS? LATER, AT TOKYO AIRPORT...

IT IS HIGH PRIVILEGE TO HAVE MOST HONORABLE AMBASSADOR VISIT US! WOULD LIKE TO TAKE YOU ON TOUR OF OUR GREAT CITY TO SHOW MANY POINTS OF INTEREST!
THANK YOU, MR. COMMITTEEMAN, I MOST HEARTILY ACCEPT!

AS THE COLORFUL DIPLOMATIC CARAVAN SLOWLY WEAVES ITS WAY THROUGH THE TOKYO STREETS AN OMINOUS FIGURE FOLLOWS IN ITS WAKE!
FINALLY, AT FAMOUS MT. FUJIYAMA!
THIS IS EXTREMELY HIGH MOUNTAIN PEAK RISING 12,395 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL!
GOSH, PLAS, THAT'S TALL IN ANY LEAGUE! I SURE HOPE THE CAR SUSPENSION WIRE IS IN GOOD SHAPE!
DON'T WORRY, WOOZY! I'M SURE THE CABLE IS INSPECTED REGULARLY!
GEE, I MUST BE GETTIN' AIR SICK, PLAS! I COULD SWEAR THAT CHARACTER DOWN THERE WITH ALL THE MUSCLES IS PUTTING AN AXE TO THE CABLE LINE!
WOOZY! THIS MAY SHOCK YOU... BUT I GET THE SAME IMPRESSION!
Y-YOU DO! THEN IT'S AN ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT AGAINST AMBASSADOR FAULKNER! Y-YIPES! WE'RE DOOMED...HE'S CUT THE CABLE!
THERE'S ONE CHANCE IN A MILLION OF SAVING THE CABLE CAR, WOOZY! KEEP YOUR FINGERS CROSSED!
M-MASTER! ANGRY DEMON APPROACHES!
CR-RRACK
PLASTIC MAN! AH...I HAVE LONG AWAITED THIS OPPORTUNITY TO INCREASE THE FAME OF THE CRUSHER!
I THOUGHT YOUR MUG LOOKED FAMILIAR! SO YOU'RE THE INFAMOUS RED AGENT THEY CALL THE CRUSHER...
U-UGH!
...I'LL BE RIGHT BACK TO HAVE A SHOWDOWN WITH YOU, FATSTUFF! RIGHT NOW I'VE GOT TO STRING OUT AND BECOME A HUMAN CABLE!
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SNARING THE BROKEN CABLE LINES, THE MAN OF RUBBER KNOTS HIS AGILE FORM ABOUT BOTH ENDS...AND JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME!
YAHOO! PLAS SAVED US! ATTA BOY, PLAS!
A-AMAZING! IF I DIDN'T SEE IT WITH MY OWN EYES I WOULDN'T HAVE BELIEVED IT!
THEN, AS PLAS REELS THE CABLE CAR BACK TO THE SAFETY OF THE PLATFORM...
I UNDERSTAND YOU USED TO BE A CHAMPION WRESTLER, CRUSHER! LET'S HAVE A LITTLE CONTEST... BEST OUT OF THREE FALLS!
I WILL TWIST THAT ELASTIC HULK OF YOURS INTO LITTLE PIECES, FOOL! I HAVE NEVER LOST A BOUT!
Y-YARGH... W-WHAT STRANGE HOLD HAVE YOU ON ME?
JUST A LITTLE SOMETHING I DREAMED UP! BUT YOU HAVEN'T SEEN ANYTHING YET!
SUDDENLY, WOOZY'S SCREAM DISRUPTS THE TWO CONTESTANTS...
P-PLAS! THE CRUSHER'S WEAZEL HENCHMAN...HE'S TOSSIN' A KNIFE AT THE AMBASSADOR!
OH, OH...DUTY BEFORE PLEASURE, CRUSHER! I'LL HAVE TO CALL TIME!
RESHAPING HIMSELF ONCE AGAIN, PLASTIC MAN CANNON BALLS ACROSS THE CABLE PLATFORM TO...
THIS SHOULD PUT THE LITTLE KILLER OUT OF ACTION FOR AWHILE!
LOOK! THAT BULBOUS HUNK OF BLUBBER HAS MADE HIS ESCAPE! OH, WELL, AT LEAST WE'RE ALL ALIVE!
THAT EVENING, MOSCOW'S DIRECT LINE TO TOKYO CARRIES THE REPORT OF THE FAILURE!
B-BUT THE PLASTIC MAN IS THIS FAULKNER'S BODYGUARD! IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO DEFEAT HIM!
IMPOSSIBLE! NOTHING IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE CAUSE OF COMMUNISM! YOU HAVE FAILED, CRUSHER! CONSIDER YOURSELF DOOMED!
OPERATOR! GET ME CAIRO AT ONCE! I MUST ALERT AGENT SABER! THE FOOL AMERICANS WILL ARRIVE IN HIS DISTRICT NEXT!

THE ANGERED VOICE OF IRON FIST ONCE AGAIN BARKS ACROSS THE LONG DISTANCE WIRES---TO KEY AGENT SABER IN CAIRO, EGYPT!
YOU UNDERSTAND, SABER, YOU MUST NOT FAIL! TOMORROW AT THE PATIO EGYPTIO THIS FOOL AMBASSADOR WILL MAKE HIS SPEECH AGAINST OUR GREAT CAUSE!
FEAR NOT, MIGHTY IRON FIST! HE AND HIS BODY-GUARDS SHALL FALL UNDER THE SABER'S BLADES LIKE REEDS IN THE NILE RIVER!
S-SABER, YOU SAY PLASTIC MAN IS GUARDING THE AMBASSADOR? WE MUST BE CAREFUL! H-HE IS A DANGEROUS MAN!
DOG OF A THOUSAND COWARDS! YOU DARE CAUTION SABER AGAINST THIS AMERICAN BOUNCING BALL!
HO! WHO IS MORE DANGEROUS THAN THE MIGHTY SABER HIMSELF, EH, SPINX!
MERCY, MERCY, SABER! I-I NO LONGER FEAR THIS PLASTIC MAN! H-HE WILL BE LIKE THE GENTLE DESERT WINDS AGAINST YOU, GREAT ONE!
THUSLY, NEXT DAY AT THE PATIO EGYPTIO AS AMBASSADOR FAULKNER SPEAKS---
SO IT IS THAT I SPEAK TODAY FOR THE FREE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD...
P-PLAS, LOOK!
GREAT SCOTT!
BACK, AMBASSADOR, BACK! ASSASSINS!
WHA---?
G-GOLLY!
THE HALF-CRAZED RED AGENT LAUNCHES HIS MOST AWESOME ASSAULT UPON A FOE!
HUZZAR! DEATH TO THE DEFILERS OF COMMUNISM!
S-SUFFERING MUMMIES! WHAT MANNER OF EGYPTIAN ASSASSIN IS THIS? WOOZY! WATCH OUT FOR THE LITTLE ONE!
YIIIIIPE! I-IT'S RAINING SABERS!

HELPLESSLY, PLASTIC MAN IS "SABER-LASHED" TO THE WALL!

P-PLAS! W-WHAT'LL I DO? Y-YOU'RE TRAPPED!

FEND HIM OFF, WOOZY! FEND HIM OFF! WE'VE ONLY GOT ONE CHANCE!

HO! THE TRICKY RUBBER TIGER IS TAMED! AND NOW, LIKE THE DOOM OF ALLAH SHALL COME THE DEATH BLOW!

GOT TO GET SOME GRIP ON THESE THINGS... MAKE MYSELF A SLING SHOT AND ZIP THESE THINGS...

SUDDENLY, PLAS' PLASTIC BODY UNCOILS AND...

...BACK!

YIIIIIIEEEEEEE!

WOW! Y-YOU DID IT, PLAS!

AND LATER, IRON FIST SPEAKS AGAIN ON THE OVER-SEAS PHONE!

I-I BARELY ESCAPED WITH MY SACRED LIFE, COMRADE IRON FIST! THAT PLASTIC MAN IS MADE OF MIRACLES!

SWINE! DOG! YOU ARE RELIEVED OF DUTY! I SHOULD FLY TO CAIRO AND DESTROY YOU MYSELF IF I HAD TIME!

S-SABER HAS FAILED ALSO, COMRADE IRON FIST!

SILENCE, YOU SPUTTERING FOOL! THE SCHEDULE... BRING ME THE TIMETABLE OF THIS DEMOCRATIC DOG'S TOUR! I SHALL DOWN HIM MYSELF!

SO! AMBASSADOR FAULKNER NEXT SPEAKS IN ROME, ITALY THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW! I WILL BE THERE... WITH THREE OF THE STRONGEST AGENTS OF THE NKVD! SUMMON MY STAFF! AT ONCE!

A-AT ONCE, COMRADE IRON FIST!

TWO DAYS LATER, THE MONSTER OF THE KREMLIN STANDS IN ROMA SQUARE WITH HIS NKVD HENCHMEN!

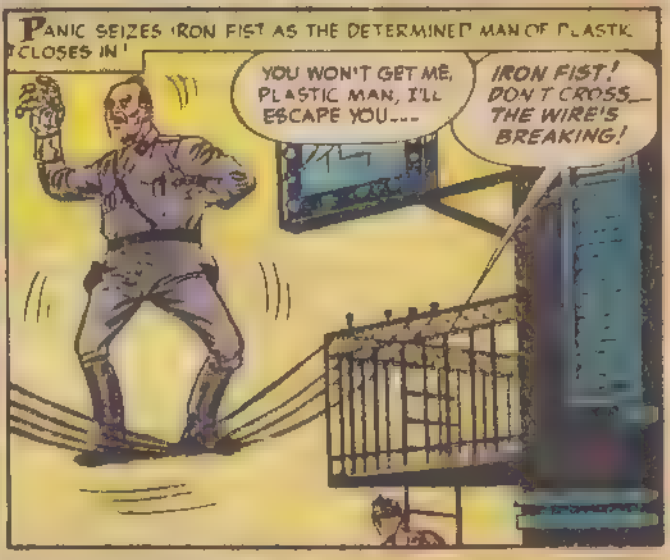
SO THAT IS THE MIGHTY PLASTIC MAN! AH, THE SITUATION IS PERFECT FOR OUR PLANS! NOW... I WILL CHOOSE THE KEY MAN! VITSHKI, COME FORWARD!

YOU WILL BE SACRIFICED FOR THE CAUSE, VITSHKI! FOLLOW THROUGH WITH OUR PLANS!
I OBEY, COMRADE IRON FIST!
A MOMENT LATER, PLASTIC MAN SPRINGS TO ATTENTION AS...
DEATH TO THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR! DOWN WITH ALL DEMOCRATIC DOGS!
THUNDER-ATION--- ANOTHER RED FANATIC! LET'S GO, WOOZY!
YOU HALF BAKED CHARACTERS ARE BEGINNING TO IRK ME NO END! A SESSION IN ROMA PRISON SHOULD COOL YOU OFF!
YOU ARE DOOMED, PLASTIC MAN!
SUDDENLY, THE GREAT IRON FIST OF THE BRUTAL RED LEADER LASHES OUT AND...
HO! LIKE THE FOOLISH RABBIT YOU FELL FOR MY TRAP, RUBBER BOY.
P-PLAS!
OOOMMPH!
NONE HAVE EVER ELUDED MY STEEL FIST, PLASTIC MAN! YOU ARE DOOMED!
T-THAT MAILED FIST--- IT'S TOO MUCH FOR ME---GOT TO OVERCOME IT SOME WAY!
PLAS---PLAS---YOU CAN'T STAND AGAINST THAT IRON FIST!
I CAN IF IT DOESN'T HIT ME, WOOZY...
NO MAN CAN WIELD A STEEL FIST OF THAT WEIGHT FOR LONG--.I HOPE...

AGAIN AND AGAIN THE NEXT BLOW IS RASHES THE AIR WITH HIS HEAVY STEEL FIST . BUT PLASTIC MAN IS NOT THERE .
HOLD STILL YOU . . . YOU BOUNCING BALL!
IT'S WORKING . . . I'M TIRING HIM OUT!

FINALLY
PANT . . . PANT . . . YOU PLASTIC SWINE . . . YOU HAVE SAPPED MY STRENGTH . . .
NOW LET'S GET DOWN TO BRASS TACKS .

CURSE YOU! I'LL BE BACK . . . I'LL RETURN TO DESTROY YOU WHEN MY STRENGTH COMES BACK!
GUESS AGAIN, PAL! WE'RE PUTTING YOU AND YOUR IRON FIST IN THE ROMA JAIL!

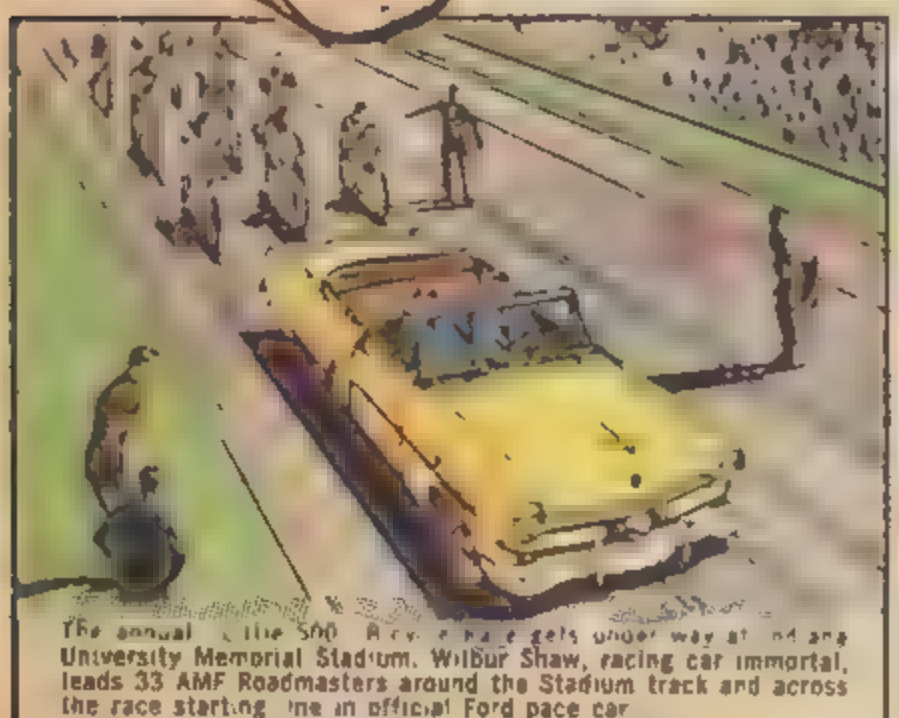

PANIC SEIZES IRON FIST AS THE DETERMINED MAN OF PLASTIC CLOSES IN!
YOU WON'T GET ME, PLASTIC MAN, I'LL ESCAPE YOU . . .
IRON FIST! DON'T CROSS . . . THE WIRE'S BREAKING!

DESPERATELY IRON FIST REACHES OUT FOR SUPPORT AND .
YYIIIIII!
GREAT SCOTT WOOZY, HIS IRON FIST HAS ACTED AS A CONDUCTOR FOR THE ELECTRICAL CURRENT IN THE SIGN!

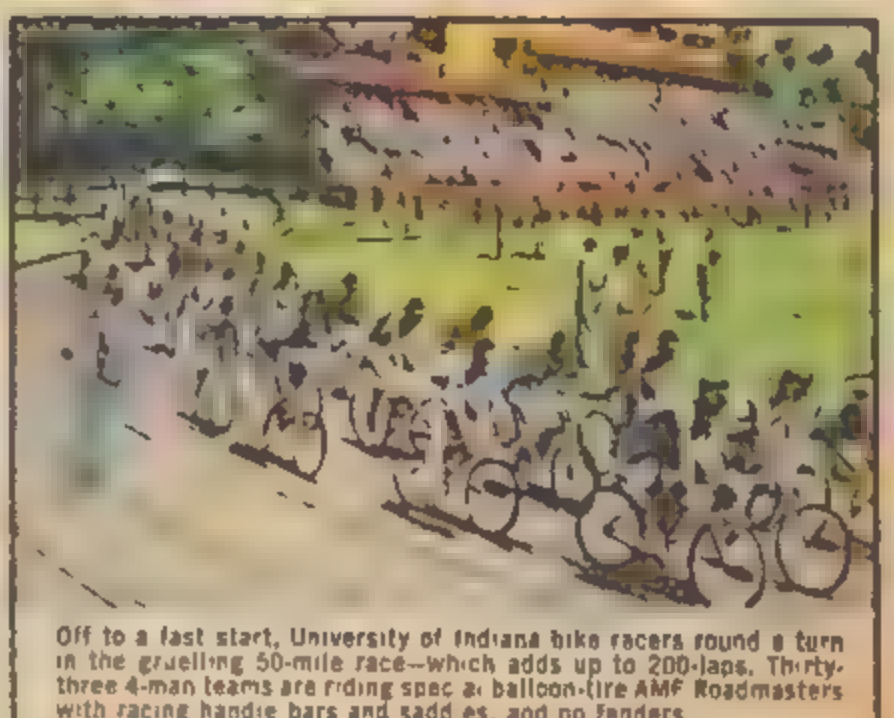
D-DO YOU THINK HE'S DEAD, PLAS?
I DON'T BELIEVE ANY LIVING THING COULD LIVE THROUGH A SHOCK LIKE THAT, WOOZY! NOT EVEN AN ANIMAL LIKE IRON FIST!

MOMENTS LATER, ON THE STREET . .
HE'S DEAD ALL RIGHT . . . KILLED BY THE VERY THING THAT MADE HIM INFAMOUS, HIS IRON FIST! WE'D BETTER NOTIFY THE POLICE AND ROUND UP HIS THREE HENCHMEN WOOZY!
GUESS SO, PLAS! WHO WAS IT SAID, "HE WHO LIVES BY THE SWORD SHALL PERISH BY THE SWORD"?

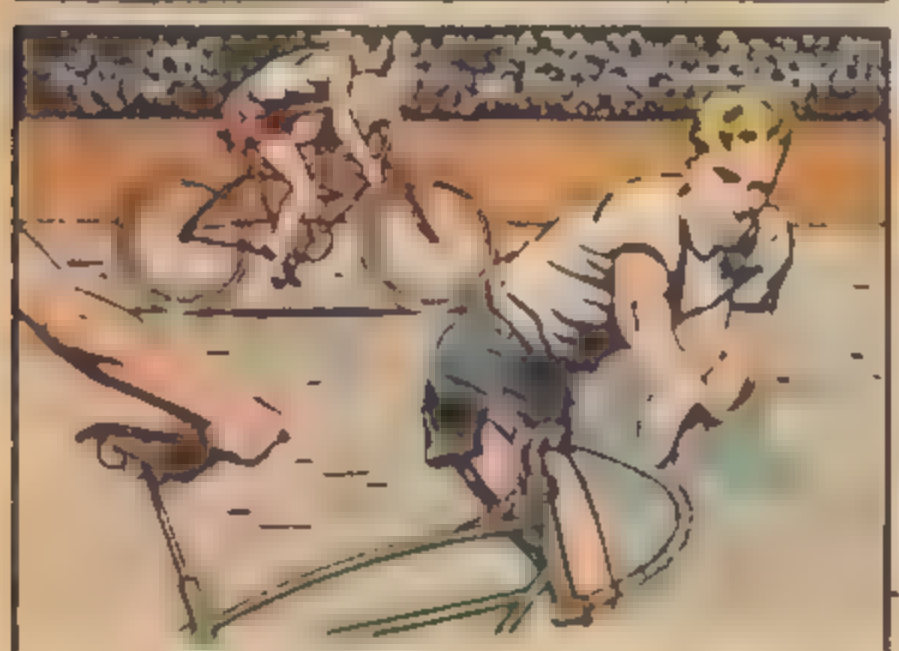
# AMF ROADMASTER sets a hot pace in the "Little 500" Bike Race!



The annual "Little 500" Bicycle Race gets under way at Indiana University Memorial Stadium. Wilbur Shaw, racing car immortal, leads 33 AMF Roadmasters around the Stadium track and across the race starting line in official Ford pace car



Off to a fast start, University of Indiana bike racers round a turn in the gruelling 50-mile race—which adds up to 200-laps. Thirty-three 4-man teams are riding spec al balloon-tire AMF Roadmasters with racing handle bars and saddles, and no fenders



Changing riders provides action-packed seconds of acrobatics! The incoming rider drops off saddle—keeping a grip on it—then pushes bike ahead to his relief rider, who grasps handle bar and makes a flying leap onto the saddle!

The winner!—flagged by Indianapolis Motor Speedway Starter, Seth Klein. Each member of the winning team averaged better than 20 miles per hour! Over 12,000 spectators cheered the "Greatest Collegiate Bicycle Race in The World"!

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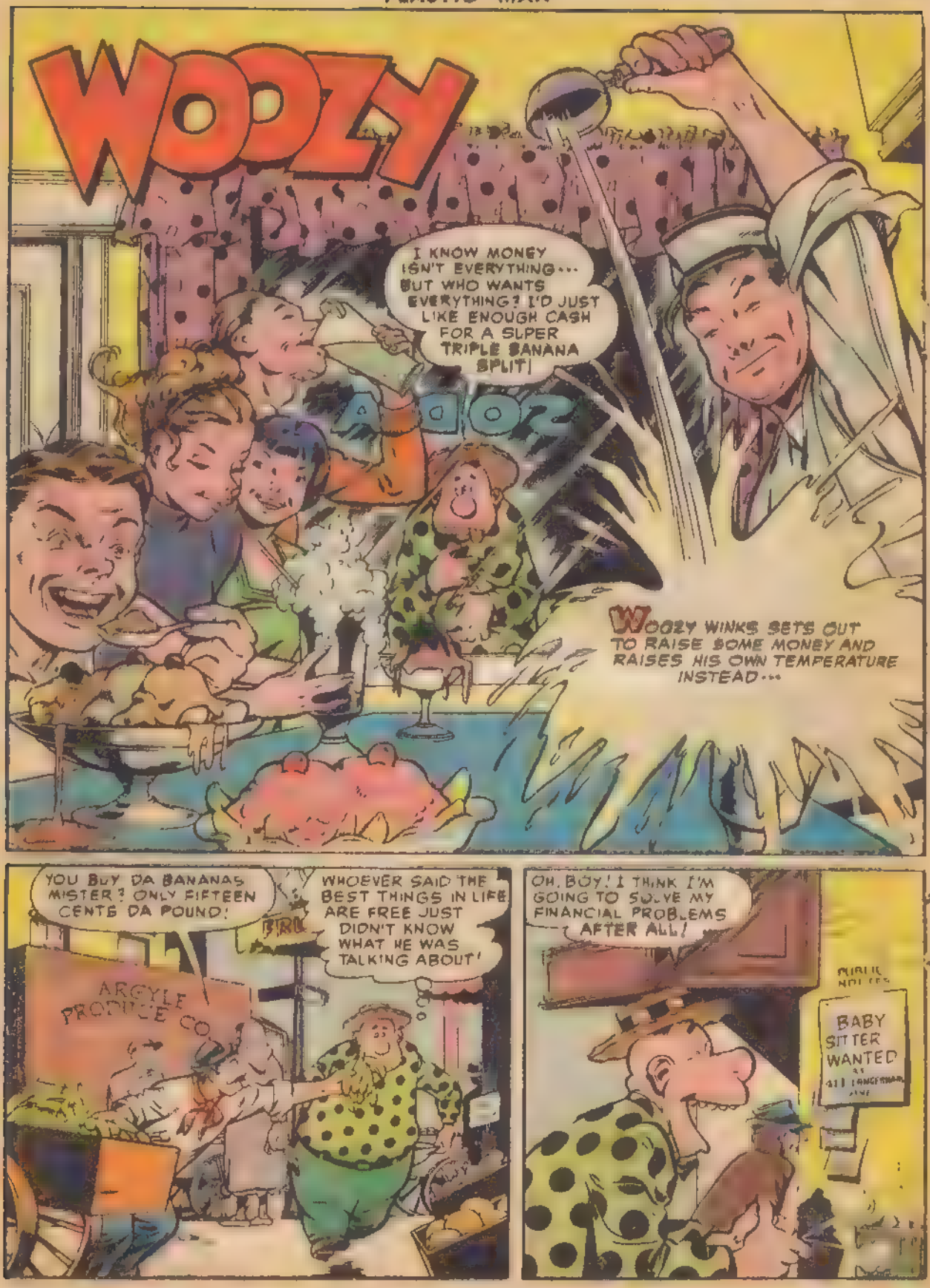
WOOZY
I KNOW MONEY ISN'T EVERYTHING... BUT WHO WANTS EVERYTHING? I'D JUST LIKE ENOUGH CASH FOR A SUPER TRIPLE BANANA SPLIT!
WOOZY WINKS SETS OUT TO RAISE SOME MONEY AND RAISES HIS OWN TEMPERATURE INSTEAD...
YOU BUY DA BANANAS MISTER? ONLY FIFTEEN CENTS DA POUND!
WHOEVER SAID THE BEST THINGS IN LIFE ARE FREE JUST DIDN'T KNOW WHAT HE WAS TALKING ABOUT!
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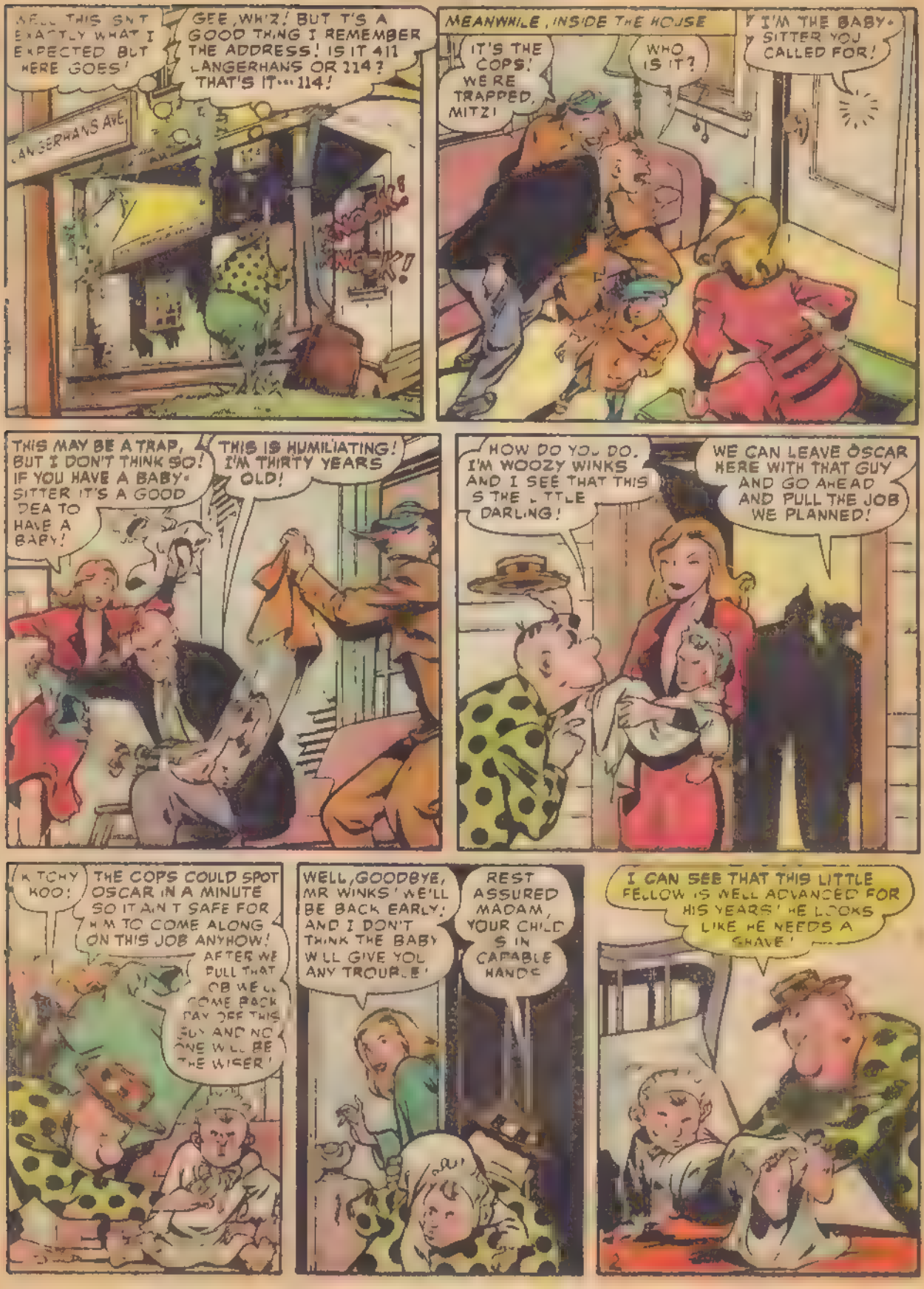
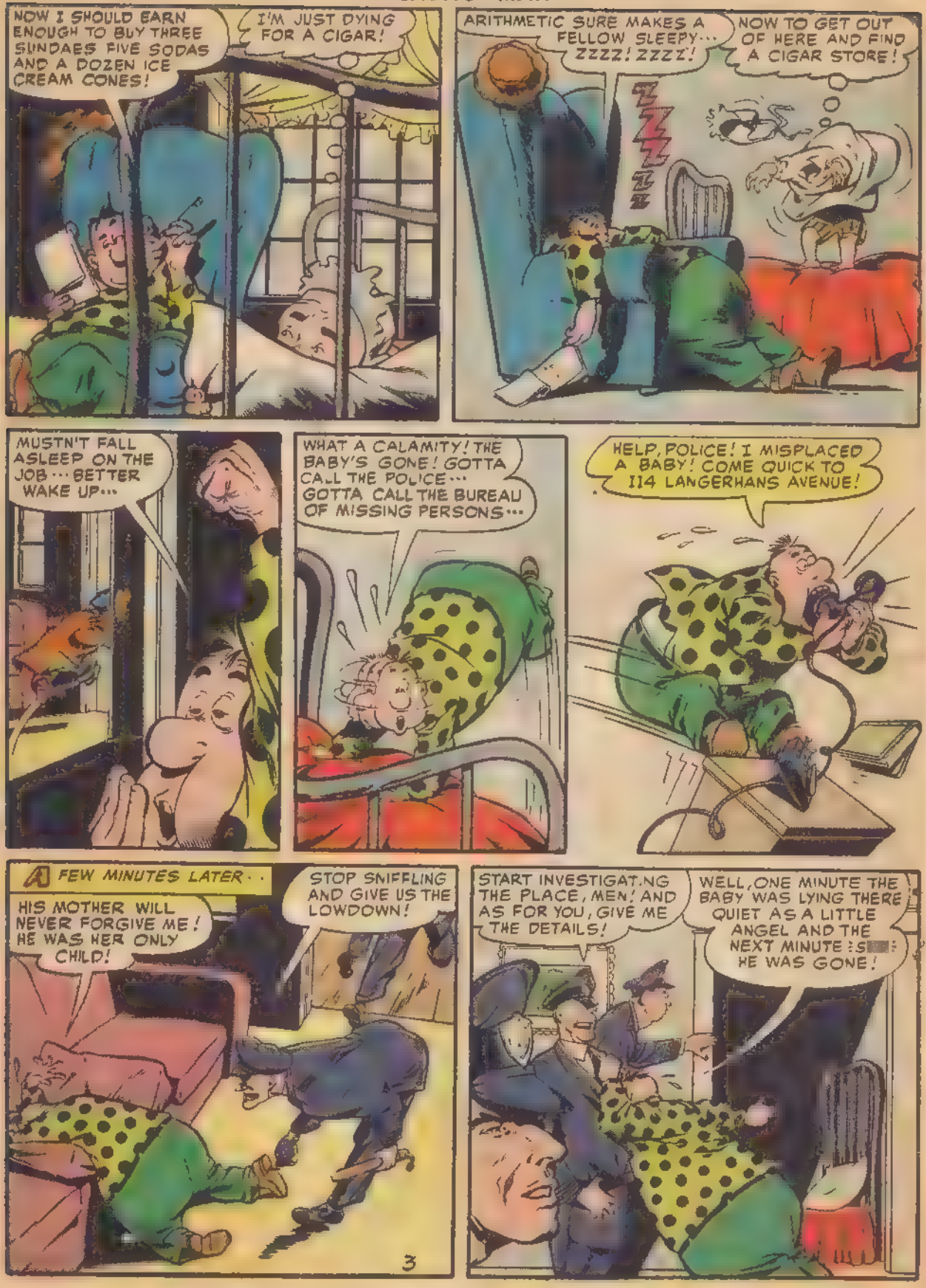
OH, BOY! I THINK I'M GOING TO SOLVE MY FINANCIAL PROBLEMS AFTER ALL!
BABY SITTER WANTED


WELL THIS SN'T EXACTLY WHAT I EXPECTED BUT HERE GOES!
GEE, WHIZ! BUT T'S A GOOD THING I REMEMBER THE ADDRESS! IS IT 411 LANGERHANS OR 114? THAT'S IT... 114!
LANGERHANS AVE.
KNOCK KNOCK!
MEANWHILE, INSIDE THE HOUSE
IT'S THE COPS! WE'RE TRAPPED, MITZI
WHO IS IT?
I'M THE BABY-SITTER YOU CALLED FOR!
THIS MAY BE A TRAP, BUT I DON'T THINK SO! IF YOU HAVE A BABY-SITTER IT'S A GOOD IDEA TO HAVE A BABY!
THIS IS HUMILIATING! I'M THIRTY YEARS OLD!
HOW DO YOU DO. I'M WOOZY WINKS AND I SEE THAT THIS S THE L TTLE DARLING!
WE CAN LEAVE OSCAR HERE WITH THAT GUY AND GO AHEAD AND PULL THE JOB WE PLANNED!
KATCHY KOO!
THE COPS COULD SPOT OSCAR IN A MINUTE SO IT AIN'T SAFE FOR HIM TO COME ALONG ON THIS JOB ANYHOW!
AFTER WE PULL THAT JOB WE'LL COME BACK PAY OFF THIS GUY AND NO ONE WILL BE THE WISER!
WELL, GOODBYE, MR WINKS! WE'LL BE BACK EARLY; AND I DON'T THINK THE BABY WILL GIVE YOU ANY TROUBLE!
REST ASSURED MADAM, YOUR CHILD S IN CAPABLE HANDS
I CAN SEE THAT THIS LITTLE FELLOW IS WELL ADVANCED FOR HIS YEARS! HE LOOKS LIKE HE NEEDS A SHAVE!


NOW I SHOULD EARN ENOUGH TO BUY THREE SUNDAES FIVE SODAS AND A DOZEN ICE CREAM CONES!
I'M JUST DYING FOR A CIGAR!
ARITHMETIC SURE MAKES A FELLOW SLEEPY··· ZZZZ! ZZZZ!
NOW TO GET OUT OF HERE AND FIND A CIGAR STORE!
MUSTN'T FALL ASLEEP ON THE JOB··· BETTER WAKE UP···
WHAT A CALAMITY! THE BABY'S GONE! GOTTA CALL THE POLICE··· GOTTA CALL THE BUREAU OF MISSING PERSONS···
HELP, POLICE! I MISPLACED A BABY! COME QUICK TO 114 LANGERHANS AVENUE!
A FEW MINUTES LATER··
HIS MOTHER WILL NEVER FORGIVE ME! HE WAS HER ONLY CHILD!
STOP SNIFFLING AND GIVE US THE LOWDOWN!
START INVESTIGATING THE PLACE, MEN! AND AS FOR YOU, GIVE ME THE DETAILS!
WELL, ONE MINUTE THE BABY WAS LYING THERE QUIET AS A LITTLE ANGEL AND THE NEXT MINUTE: S[illegible]: HE WAS GONE!
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THIS MUST BE SOME KIND OF A GAG CHIEF! NO BABY LIVES IN THIS HOUSE! THERE AIN'T NO BOTTLES, NO BABY FOOD, NO DIAPERS OR ANYTHING LIKE THAT!
WOE IS ME! WOE IS ME! SOB!
A PRACTICAL JOKER, EH? SENDING OUT FALSE ALARMS, EH? I KNOW JUST THE PLACE FOR YOU AND IT'S GOT BARS ON THE WINDOWS!
HEY CHIEF! A CAR JUST DROVE UP BEHIND THE HOUSE!
THAT WAS A SMART IDEA TAKING THE SAFE WITH US! THE COPS WOULDA HEARD US IF WE TRIED TO BLOW IT UP WHERE IT WAS STANDING!
LEAVE IT IN THE KITCHEN! I'LL GET RID OF THE BABY-SITTER AND THEN WE CAN GET TO WORK ON THE SAFE!
HEY WHAT'S GOING ON?
AS I LIVE AND BREATHE ..IF IT ISN'T HACK, MAC AND MITZI! AND WITH A STOLEN SAFE... THIS COULDN'T HAVE WORKED OUT BETTER IF I PLANNED IT!
I HUMBLY ASK YOUR FORGIVENESS, MADAM, IN THIS TIME OF YOUR TRAGIC LOSS!
THE ONLY THING SHE'S LOSING IS HER FREEDOM! SHE'S GOING TO JAIL TO SERVE TIME FOR MORE [illegible] THAN I CAN COUNT!
THAT'S A MIDGET! SHE WASN'T ANYBODY'S MOTHER! SHE'S A CROOK AND I HELPED CAPTURE HER! IS THERE A REWARD?
YOU DID HELP US ROUND UP THIS GANG! WE'LL MAKE YOU AN HONORARY MEMBER OF THE POLICE FORCE!
GEE, THANKS A LOT, FELLAS!
AND HERE I AM RIGHT BACK WHERE I STARTED... FLAT BROKE!

Plastic Man
THIS IS THE EASIEST JOB I EVER PULLED!
IS IT A BIRD?
IS IT A FLYING SAUCER?
SHUCKS, NO! IT'S PLASTIC MAN!
WHEN GAT GATSBY, MASTER CRIMINAL, TRIES TO PICK UP SOME EASY MONEY··· IN A BANK, HE'S NOT BANKING ON PLASTIC MAN'S INTEREST IN HIS AFFAIRS!
HAPPY BIRTHDAY, WOOZY!
HERE, WOOZY! I KNOW YOU'VE WANTED ONE OF THESE FOR A LONG TIME!
GEE, A CAMERA! THANKS! I'M GOING TO LEARN TO USE IT RIGHT AWAY! IT'LL BE A BIG HELP IN MY FIGHT AGAINST CRIME!
INCIDENTALLY, PLAS! TALKING ABOUT CRIME··· GAT GATSBY BLEW INTO TOWN TODAY AND WHERE THERE'S GATSBY, THERE'S TROUBLE!

I WANT YOU TO START CHECKING ON HIS ACTIVITIES RIGHT AWAY, BECAUSE I'M CERTAIN HE'S UP TO NO GOOD!
SURE THING, CHIEF! I'D LIKE TO GET MY HANDS ON THAT SLIPPERY CHARACTER!
CLICK! CLICK!
MEANWHILE···
OKAY, GAT! NOW THAT WE'RE ALL HERE, TELL US ABOUT YOUR PLAN!
NOW, LISTEN, YOU GUYS! I'VE WORKED OUT A SCHEME FOR PULLING THE BIGGEST BANK ROBBERY THIS COUNTRY HAS EVER KNOWN··· AND DOING IT WITH PSYCHOLOGY!
PSYCHOLOGY? NEVER HEARD OF HIM! WHAT MOB DOES HE RUN WITH?
OH, NO! I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN BETTER! BUT NEVER MIND PSYCHOLOGY FOR THE TIME BEING AND LOOK AT THIS!
IT LOOKS LIKE A PICTURE OF A FLYING SAUCER!
GIVE THAT MAN TEN SILVER DOLLARS! THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT IT IS!
IN THE FIRST PLACE, THEY AIN'T REAL··· AND IN THE SECOND PLACE, HOW CAN YOU ROB A BANK WITH A FLYING SAUCER?
NOW THIS IS THE PLAN··· WE FIX UP A PLANE TO LOOK LIKE ONE OF THESE!
GAT, I DON'T GET IT!
WHEN WE FIX UP THE PLANE, WE FLY IT LOW OVER THE BANK! EVERYBODY COMES RUSHING OUT TO SEE A REAL FLYING SAUCER! AND WHILE THEY'RE LOOKING THE OTHER WAY, WE RUSH IN!
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NEXT DAY···
FIRST I'LL TAKE PICTURES OF THE BIRDS AND THE BEES AND THEN I'LL WORK MY WAY UP TO PEOPLE!

# PLASTIC MAN

YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO HOLD STILL SO I CAN TAKE YOUR PICTURE!

CLICK!

THE NEXT DAY...

HEY, LOOK, A FLYING SAUCER!

EASY MONEY, HERE WE COME!

OUT OF MY WAY! I WANT TO SEE IT!

STOP SHOVING, BUD! I WANT TO SEE IT TOO!

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IT MUST BE AN ADVERTISING STUNT!

BUT THEY'RE NOT ADVERTISING ANYTHING!

THESE ARE NOT IDEAL WORKING CONDITIONS FOR A PHOTOGRAPHER!

THERE MUST BE SOMETHING TO THIS PSYCHOLOGY BUSINESS!

YEAH, THEY WERE SO BUSY GAWKING AT OUR FAKE FLYING SAUCER, THEY DIDN'T PAY ANY ATTENT ON TO US!

I RECOGNIZE THOSE MEN! I TOOK THEIR PICTURE WHEN THEY WERE WORKING ON THAT AIRPLANE! NOW THEY'VE ROBBED THE BANK! I'M GOING TO FOLLOW THEM AND CAPTURE THEM SINGLE-HANDED!

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GAT SAID HE'D BE WAIT NG FOR US AT THE HIDEOUT AND WE'LL DIVVY UP THE MONEY THERE!

GEE, MAYBE THE BANK WILL GIVE ME A BIG REWARD FOR CAPTUR-ING THESE GUYS!

YOU SAY THERE'S BEEN A BIG BANK ROBBERY, CHIEF? IF GATSBY HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH IT, IT MUST HAVE BEEN BY REMOTE CONTROL! I'VE BEEN WATCHING HIM LIKE A HAWK!

PLAS, YOU'VE GOT TO GET ON THE CASE RIGHT AWAY! FORGET GATSBY!

I'LL BE THERE AS FAST AS I CAN MAKE IT!

I HAVE THE FEELING THAT EVEN THOUGH GATSBY'S BEEN PLAY-ING POSSUM, HE'S CONNECTED WITH THIS ROBBERY SOME-HOW!

AND IF MY HUNCH IS RIGHT, HE'S HEADING FOR A MEETING WITH HIS HENCHMEN TO DIVIDE THE ROBBERY LOOT! THE CHIEF WILL BE DOWN ON MY NECK FOR THIS, BJT I CAN'T QUIT TRAILING HIM NOW!

LATER...

WHA...?

OKAY, COME ON! GET DOWN OFF THERE!

BY ALL MEANS, SIR! YOUR WISH IS MY COMMAND!

WHAT WERE YOU DOING ON TOP OF THAT CAR?
ER···I'M A PHOTOGRAPHER AND I WAS TRYING FOR AN INTERESTING ANGLE SHOT!
OH, YEAH! WELL THIS IS ONE ANGLE YOU CAN FORGET!
HIYA, BOSS!
HERE, DISPOSE OF THIS GUY AND THEN WE'LL GET TO THE BUSINESS AT HAND!
DIS-POSE! OH, YOU MEAN I SHOULD GET RID OF HIM!
THAT'S RIGHT! PUT HIM SIX FEET UNDER! WE'LL WAIT FOR YOU IN THE HOUSE!
SIX FEET UNDER! BUT I AIN'T GOT NO TIME TO DIG A HOLE!
HEY, THIS EMPTY WELL IS MORE THAN SIX FEET DEEP! I THINK I'LL PUT HIM IN HERE!
OH PLAS! :SOB: IF ONLY YOU WERE HERE!
HEY, I AIN'T NEVER SEEN THIS TABLE BEFORE: WHERE DID IT COME FROM?
WHAT DIFFERENCE DOES IT MAKE? LET'S GET THIS MONEY COUNTED OUT FAST! CALL IN THE REST OF THE GUYS AND WE'LL GET STARTED!
I PUT THAT GUY UNDERGROUND LIKE YOU SAID, GAT!
GOOD WORK! NOW LET'S GET THIS MONEY DIVIDED!

HERE YOU ARE!
THE PLEASURE IS MINE!

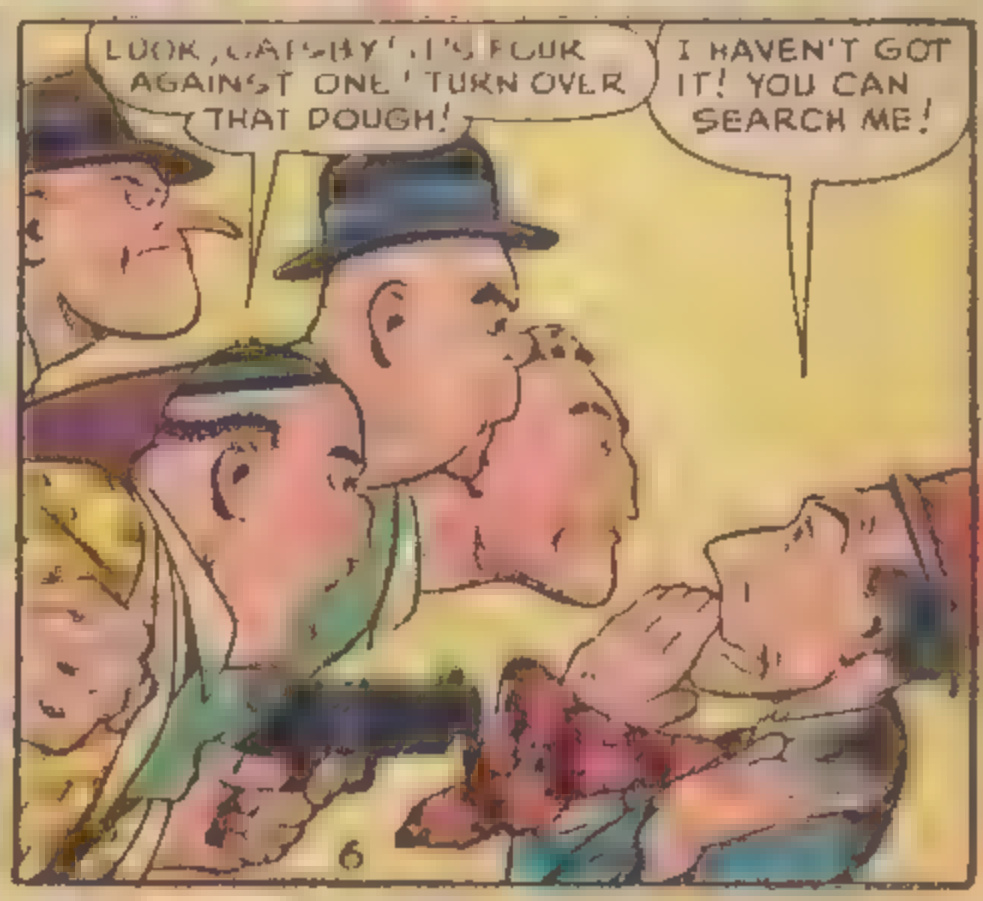
WELL, WHAT HAPPENED TO MY DOUGH?
I JUST HANDED IT TO YOU!

IF YOU'RE TRYING ANY FUNNY BUSINESS WITH ME, I'LL BLOW YOU TO B.T.-!
YOU MUST HAVE DROPPED IT! WHY DON'T YOU LOOK UNDER THE TABLE BEFORE YOU BLOW YOUR TOP!

THERE AIN'T NOTHING UNDER HERE! SEE FOR YOURSELF!
ALL RIGHT! WE WILL!

I DON'T UNDERSTAND IT! SOMETHING VERY FUNNY IS GOING ON!
YEAH, AND I THINK YOU'RE BEHIND IT! YOU'RE A GREAT ONE FOR PLANNING FANCY SCHEMES!

THE REST OF THE DOUGH! IT'S GONE!


LOOK, CAPSBY! IT'S FOUR AGAINST ONE! TURN OVER THAT DOUGH!
I HAVEN'T GOT IT! YOU CAN SEARCH ME!

# PLASTIC MAN

HE'S TELLING THE TRUTH! HE'S CLEAN!

SINCE IM NOT THE DOUBLE-CROSSER... ONE OF YOU IS!

TAKE THIS, YOU LOW-LIFE!

OOF!

THINK YOU CAN SWINDLE ME AND GET AWAY WITH IT...

IF IT'S THE MONEY YOU'RE LOOKING FOR... WHY DON'T YOU ASK ME ABOUT IT?

WHA...?

WELL, HERE IT IS! COME AND GET IT!

TURN THAT DOUGH OVER, PLASTIC MAN! IT'S OURS!

I JUST CAN'T SEE THINGS YOUR WAY!

YOU'RE GOING TO BE BEHIND REAL BARS SOON, BUT TRY THIS ON FOR SIZE!

LET ME OUT!

LET ME OUTTA HERE!

LATER...

WHEN YOU DIDN'T SHOW UP AT THE OFFICE, PLAS, I WAS READY TO FIRE YOU... BUT YOU DID SUCH A BANG-UP JOB THAT ALL IS FORGIVEN!

IT'S A GOOD THING HE FOLLOWED HIS HUNCH, CHIEF, OR I MIGHT HAVE BEEN SIX FEET UNDER FOR GOOD! BRRR!

# The Dumb Ones

WITH the siren screaming and the red warning light flashing from side to side, the car of Inspector Cliff Brink of the Arson Squad raced through the traffic. Detective Bob Corby, his driver, kept the gas pedal as near the floor board as he dared. Driving through metropolitan traffic is no cinch at ordinary speeds. But racing through it is enough to age a man before his time.

"Hurry," ordered Brink. "The call came through that it looks like a set fire. The sooner we get there, the more we'll find out."

As the car swung around a corner, they could see the glow in the sky. It was a big fire. The traffic patrolman waved them through the barricades and soon they were skidding to a stop near the massed fire fighting equipment. It was a three story building and the factory of Watts Furriers, a wholesale house. Brink jumped from the car and ran to where the fire chief stood.

"Some blaze," said Brink. "Really think this is an arson case?"

"I'd bet my bottom dollar on it, Brink," shouted the fire chief. "That's why I put in the call for you. This fire started too fast and was going too good when we got here to be anything else. The plant had just shut down so the fire couldn't have started more than a few minutes before. Looks as if we're going to lose the entire building except for the front office section. I think we'll save that. But we can't do much investigating until we get this thing calmed down."

"I see that," commented Brink. Then, turning to his assistant, Corby, he said, "Get in touch with the owner and get him down here."

"I'm ahead of you there," grinned Corby. "I just went across the street and called. He's at home in bed. Been sick for the last three days. He told me to get in touch with his secretary and she'd give us any information we need. I have her address."

"Then get her and bring her here," ordered Brink. "I'll check here as soon as I can."

An hour later, the fire chief, the secretary Miss Anders, the inspector and the detective worked their way through the ruins. A strong smell of burning fur almost overpowered them. The chief pointed to a pile of burned rubble. It had been fur.

"Guess those won't be much good for coats now," he commented.

"Poor Mr. Watts," groaned Miss Anders. "That's sixty thousand dollars worth of mink skins. They came in this afternoon and hadn't even been unpacked. Fortunately, they're insured so Mr. Watts won't suffer a financial loss. But we need them for our fall orders and——"

"Come here, Chief," said Brink, interrupting Miss Anders. "You were right."

Kneeling before the pile of burned furs, Brink pointed to the charred wood around it. "The fire was set without a doubt," he continued. "The fact that the wood is much more charred at this point and that you can get a faint smell of benzine proves it. These furs were meant to burn."

Then turning to Corby, he added, "Take these ashes to the lab. Get a report on them and meet me at Watts' home as soon as possible. That's all for you, Miss Anders."

When Brink approached Watts' house, he found Corby waiting for him. Brink took the lab report, looked at it, and then knocked on the door. They were admitted by a small, timid looking man. The inspector introduced himself and Corby.

"I'm afraaid," quavered Watts, "that this has been a terrible day. And I'm also afraid that I can't do much to help you. I've been ill here at home for the past three days. And now we've had this terrible fire. And sixty thousand dollars worth of mink furs that we needed have gone up in flames. I'll lose a lot of money."

"You're going to lose more than money, Mr. Watts," snarled Brink. "You're going to lose the right to the pursuit of freedom and happiness for some time."

"Wh-what do you mean?" stammered Watts, now looking frightened.

"You said those furs that burned were mink," explained Brink. "They weren't. They were cheap rabbit furs as I thought when I saw them. Also evidence shows that the fire was set. And I checked on your financial status and I know you're broke. It was a nice scheme if it had worked—sixty grand for a few worthless rabbit skins. But laboratory tests don't lie. So I'm taking you in."

"Don't do that. Please don't do that," cried Watts. "It was all my secretary's idea. She told me to stay home and pretend to be sick and she'd take care of the rest. We were going to split the insurance. It would put me on my feet again."

"Come on," roared Brink in disgust. "You cheap crooks always cry when you're caught. You always figure you can make suckers out of the cops. We're supposed to be dumb.

"But you guys are the dumb ones," he continued as Corby slipped the handcuffs on the wrists of Watts. "If you'd just stop to realize how full the jails are, you'd know that we're not the dumb ones. It's people like you who are—the ones who are on the inside."

# PLASTIC MAN

## and THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA

ALL THIS TALK ABOUT A MONSTER OF THE DEEP SWALLOWING UP PEOPLE AND BOATS IS SHEER NONSENSE!

IT WAS BAD ENOUGH HAVING A TRICKY SMUGGLER LIKE DUTYFREE SCHULTZ LOOSE ON THE SEA LANES ··· BUT WHEN A MYTH SUDDENLY BECAME REALITY AND THE **MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA** APPEARED PLASTIC MAN REALLY HAD HIS HANDS FULL!

THIS IS ONE CARGO YOU MUGGS AREN'T SMUGGLING INTO THE UNITED STATES!

YOUR CAREER IS OVER, DUTYFREE SCHULTZ!

Y'DON'T SAY?

PAINT CERTAINLY HAS MANY USES ON A BOAT!

THOUGHT YOU WERE SMART FLYING OVER IN THAT TREASURY DEPARTMENT PLANE AND STRETCHING YOUR WAY DOWN HERE, EH? A FINE THING ··· THE TREASURY RINGING IN F.B.I. MEN ··· AND PLASTIC MAN YET!

S'MATTER, CAN'T THE TREASURY FIGHT IT'S OWN BATTLES? AND YOU GUYS THINK YOU'RE THE ONLY ONES THAT CAN USE PLANES?

COME HERE, YOU!

MISSED HIM!

COME ON DOWN··· LOWER···LOWER···

AFTER THAT PLANE, QUICK! IT'S DUTYFREE SCHULTZ!

THAT'S A POWERFUL JOB, SCHULTZ HAS THERE! WE CAN'T CATCH UP WITH HIM!

CONFOUND IT! THAT'S DUTY-FREE SCHULTZ'S SECRET·· HAVING FAST GADGETS AND EQUIPMENT AT THE RIGHT TIME···AND YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT HE'LL TURN UP WITH NEXT!

# PLASTIC MAN

LUCKY FOR US THE COUNTRY'S ALL AGOG OVER THE STORIES ABOUT THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA OR WE'D BE A LAUGHING STOCK!

CHIEF, I WANT PERMISSION TO GO OUT AND FIND THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA!

LATER

BUT, PLASTIC MAN, I'M SURPRISED AT YOU! AT A TIME LIKE THIS YOU WANT TO GO OFF TO LOOK INTO A BUGHOUSE FABLE! WHY, THE STORY'S PREPOSTEROUS!

IT WAS SILLY ENOUGH WHEN PEOPLE USED TO SAY THEY SAW THE MONSTER IN LLENDWYMORRA LAKE BUT THIS LATEST ONE ABOUT IT BEING LOOSE ON THE DEEP... HA! HA!

NEVERTHELESS I'D LIKE PERMISSION TO LOOK FOR IT!

ALL RIGHT, PLASTIC MAN! I SUPPOSE AN AGENT WHO'S DONE AS MANY WORTHWHILE THINGS AS YOU HAVE IS ENTITLED TO INDULGE ONE SILLY WHIM! YOU MAY GO!

THANKS, CHIEF!

F.B.I.

CHIEF BRANNER

IN A FEW DAYS...

S.O.S.! S.O.S.! THIS IS THE S.S. SNARK! WE WERE ALMOST CAPSIZED BY THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA AFTER WE FIRED ON THE BEAST! RUDDER AND PROPELLER DAMAGED BY MONSTER! S.O.S.! OUR LOCATION FOLLOWS!

WOOZY, I'LL BET YOU THREE BUCKS YOU'RE AFRAID TO FIND THAT MONSTER!

BAH! I'M NOT AFRAID! THERE IS NO SUCH THING!

THIS'LL BE THE EASIEST THREE DOLLARS I EVER MADE!

JUST AS I THOUGHT! NOT A SIGN OF A MONSTER ANYWHERE AND I'VE BEEN OUT FOR FOUR HOURS!

MAY AS WELL GO BACK AND CLAIM THE BET!

HMM! WHAT AN UNUSUAL SORT OF CREATURE! I WONDER WHAT IT CAN BE!

YAWP! IT'S THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA!

HALP! I DON'T WANT TO BE EATEN! OH, WHY WASN'T I CREDULOUS AND TRUSTING ABOUT THIS LIKE I ALWAYS AM!

YOU WON'T LIKE ME, MONSTER! I TASTE SIMPLY AWFUL!

I KINDA THOUGHT IT. WAS YOU! FRIEND OF PLASTIC MAN, AREN'T YOU?

=GULP= SURE! OF COURSE! NICE MEETING YOU! I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE A FRIEND OF PLASTIC MAN, TOO!

SMILE WHEN YOU SAY THAT, I DETEST PLASTIC MAN THAT'S WHY I HAD YOU PULLED IN HERE WHEN I RECOGNIZED YOU THROUGH OUR PERISCOPE! YOU'RE WORKING FOR PLASTIC MAN, EH?
DON'T BE SILLY! PLASTIC MAN NEVER LET'S ME IN ON HIS CASES!
A LIKELY STORY! I SUPPOSE YOU WERE JUST SNOOPING AROUND IN THAT ROWBOAT TO GET A GUN-TAN! GET HIM BOYS!
SURFACE SO WE CAN HAVE THE PLEASURE OF PITCHING HIM INTO THE OCEAN!
HALP!
AT THAT MOMENT
THIS IS THE GENERAL LOCATION GIVEN IN THAT BROADCAST... BUT NOT A SIGN OF THE MONSTER!
GREAT SCOTT! THERE IT IS!
THAT MOTOR BOAT. PLASTIC MAN'S IN IT! SUBMERGE!
APPARENTLY THE MONSTER WASN'T GLAD TO SEE ME!
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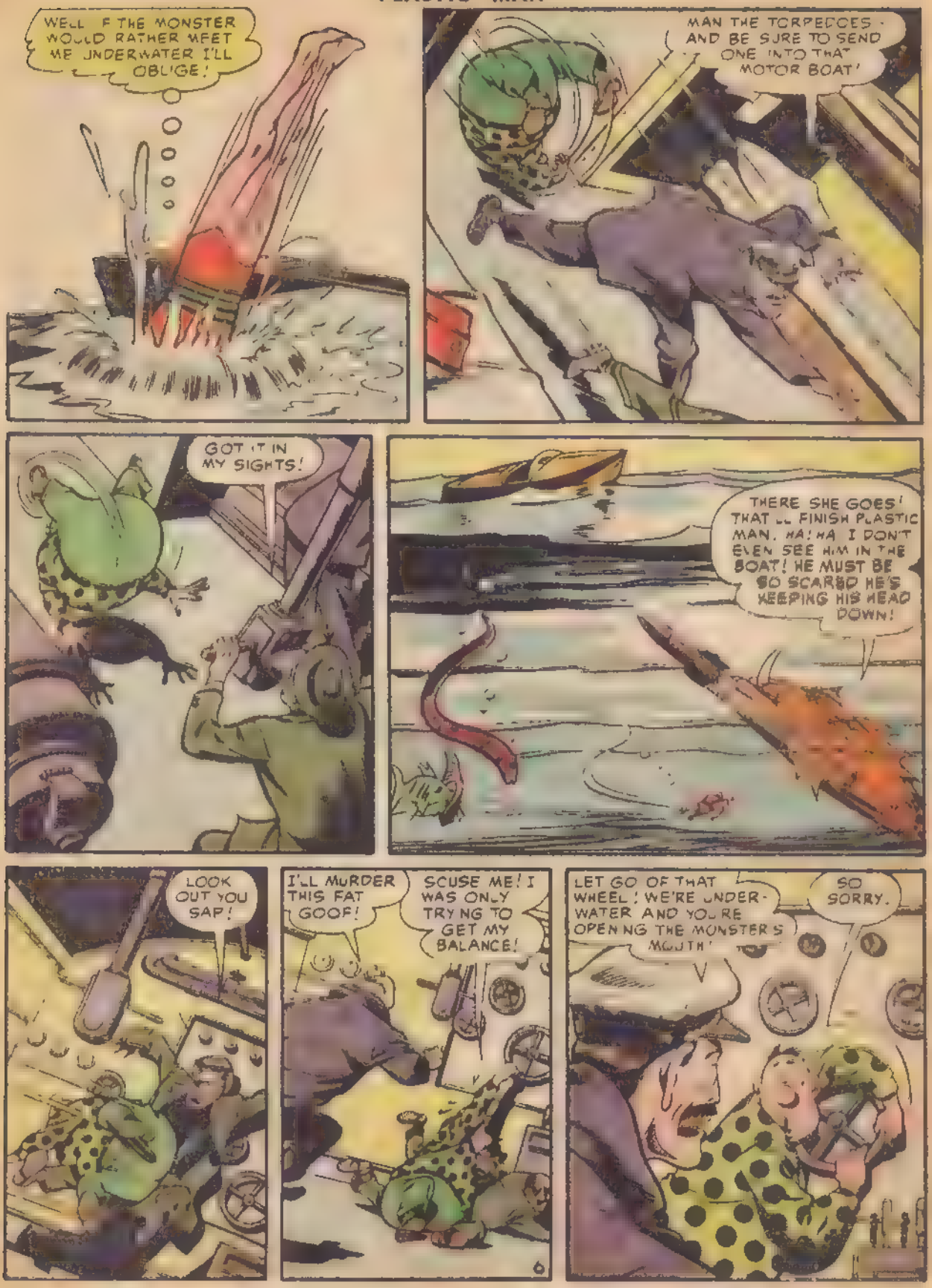
WELL IF THE MONSTER WOULD RATHER MEET ME UNDERWATER I'LL OBLIGE!
MAN THE TORPEDOES - AND BE SURE TO SEND ONE INTO THAT MOTOR BOAT!
GOT IT IN MY SIGHTS!
THERE SHE GOES! THAT'LL FINISH PLASTIC MAN. HA! HA I DON'T EVEN SEE HIM IN THE BOAT! HE MUST BE SO SCARED HE'S KEEPING HIS HEAD DOWN!
LOOK OUT YOU SAP!
I'LL MURDER THIS FAT GOOF!
SCUSE ME! I WAS ONLY TRYNG TO GET MY BALANCE!
LET GO OF THAT WHEEL! WE'RE UNDER-WATER AND YOU'RE OPENNG THE MONSTER'S MOUTH!
SO SORRY.

THANKS FOR OPENING THE MOUTH, WOOZY! CLOSE IT NOW!
EEEAAAHHH! IT ISN'T FAIR TO PUT A MAN IN JAIL JUST FOR CARRYING ON HIS PROFESSION, ESPECIALLY WHEN IT'S BEEN IN THE FAMILY FOR GENERATIONS!
WHY DO YOU THINK MY FATHER NAMED ME DUTYFREE IF HE EXPECTED ME TO GO INTO A DIFFERENT BUSINESS?
A VERY TOUCHING STORY, DUTYFREE!
TOO BAD YOU DIDN'T NOTICE THE AXE PLASTIC MAN.
GRAHH WE'LL BE DROWNED.
BETTER THAT FOR AN HONORABLE SMUGGLER THAN PRISON!
A VERY DRAMATIC SPEECH, DUTYFREE, BUT I'D RATHER SEE YOU IN JAIL!
THIS PLASTIC MAN COULD CERTAINLY BE PUT TO SOME WONDERFUL NAUTICAL USES IF HE'D ONLY WISE UP AND GO CROOKED!
PLASTIC MAN! YOU GOT DUTYFREE!
YES! AND HE'LL TELL YOU ALL ABOUT HOW HE BUILT THE MONSTER OF LLENDWYMORRA!
F.B.I.
THEN IT WASN'T A REAL MONSTER AFTER ALL!
A REAL ONE COULDN'T HAVE BEEN MUCH WORSE THAN DUTYFREE SCHULTZ IN HIS SYNTHETIC MODEL! IT WAS ONLY BECAUSE I KNEW HOW INVENTIVE SCHULTZ COULD BE THAT I IDENTIFIED HIM WITH THE MONSTER IN THE FIRST PLACE!

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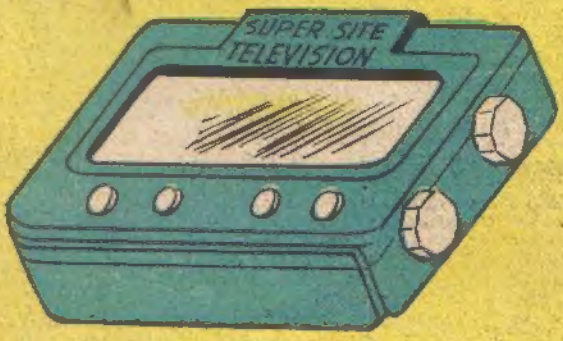

CLARABELL

COMPLETE WITH 8 ROLLS OF COLOR FILM

MR. BLUSTER

FLUB-A-DUB

Now you can have hours of fun seeing and showing your own favorite Howdy Doody program to your friends and family. Each roll of film is different — here are the titles:

1. Howdy Doody Goes to the Zoo
2. Howdy Doody at the Circus
3. Howdy Doody at the Beach
4. Howdy Doody Goes to Alaska
5. Howdy Doody Goes Hunting for Rabbits
6. Howdy Doody in the Side Show
7. Howdy Doody Goes to Mars
8. Howdy Doody Visits Indian Friends

DILLY DALLY

MAIL TODAY

In all, the 8 rolls of 4 color film make up 104 different pictures of Howdy Doody and his friends! Don't wait! Mail the coupon immediately with only $1. Your set will be sent postpaid. No C.O.D.'s. For Canadian and foreign orders — send $1.50 money order. Satisfaction guaranteed or return set for full refund.

**Josely Company, Dept. GP**
**1472 Broadway • New York 36, N.Y.**

Folks:
Here's my dollar. Send me the HOWDY DOODY Color Television set with 8 rolls of film. If not completely satisfied, I may return same for full refund.

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ Zone____ State_____

Canadian & Foreign orders, $1.50 with coupon.

# You Practice SERVICING with Kits I Send You

Nothing takes the place of PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE. That's why NRI training is based on LEARNING BY DOING. You use parts I send to build many circuits common to Radio and Television. With my Servicing Course you build the modern Radio shown at left. You build a Multitester and use it to help make $10, $15 a week fixing sets in spare time while training. All equipment is yours to keep. Coupon below will bring book of important facts. It shows other equipment you build.

# You Practice BROADCASTING with Kits I Send You

As part of my Communications Course I send you parts to build low-power Broadcasting Transmitter at left. Use it to get practical experience. You put this station "on the air" . . . perform procedures demanded of broadcasting station operators. An FCC Commercial Operator's License can be your ticket to a bright future. My Communications Course trains you to get your license. Mail coupon. Book shows other equipment you build for practical experience.

# I Will Train You at Home in Spare Time to be a RADIO-TELEVISION Technician

## TELEVISION

### Making Jobs, Prosperity

25 million homes have Television sets now. Thousands more sold every week. Trained men needed to make, install, service TV sets. About 200 television stations on the air. Hundreds more being built. Good job opportunities here for qualified technicians, operators, etc.

J. E. SMITH, President
National Radio Institute
Washington, D. C.

Our 40th Year

## America's Fast Growing Industry Offers You Good Pay, Success

Training PLUS opportunity is the PERFECT COMBINATION for job security, advancement. When times are good, the trained man makes the BETTER PAY, gets PROMOTED. When jobs are scarce, the trained man enjoys GREATER SECURITY. NRI training can help assure you and your family more of the better things of life. Radio is bigger than ever with over 3,000 broadcasting stations and more than 115 MILLION sets in use, and Television is moving ahead fast.

## N.R.I. Training Leads to Good Jobs Like These

### I TRAINED THESE MEN

"Am transmitter-studio operator at KPAT. Most important day of my life was when I enrolled with NRI."—Elmer Frewaldt, Madison, S. Dakota.

"Made my first $100 from spare time work before I finished my course. Now I average better than $10 a week, spare time."—Frank Borer, Lorain, Ohio.

"I've come a long way in Radio and Television since graduating. Have my own business on Main Street."—Joe Travers, Asbury Park, New Jersey.

"I didn't know a thing about Radio. Now have a good job as Studio Engineer at KMMJ."—Bill Delzell, Central City, Nebraska.

BROADCASTING: Chief Technician, Chief Operator, Power Monitor, Recording Operator, Remote Control Operator. SERVICING: Home and Auto Radios, Television Receivers, FM Radios, P.A. Systems. IN RADIO PLANTS: Design Assistant, Technician, Tester, Serviceman, Service Manager. SHIP AND HARBOR RADIO: Chief Operator, Radio-Telephone Operator. GOVERNMENT RADIO: Operator in Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Forestry Service Dispatcher, Airways Radio Operator. AVIATION RADIO: Transmitter Technician, Receiver Technician, Airport Transmitter Operator. TELEVISION: Pick-up Operator, Television Technician, Remote Control Operator.

## Start Soon to Make $10, $15 a Week Extra Fixing Sets

My training is practical, complete; is backed by 40 years of success training men at home. My well-illustrated lessons give you basic principles you need and my skillfully-developed kits of parts "bring to life" things you learn from the lessons. I start sending you special booklets that show you how to fix sets the day you enroll. Multitester you build with my parts helps you discover and correct set troubles, helps you make money fixing neighbors' sets in spare time while training. Many make $10, $15 a week extra this way.

## Mail Coupon — Find Out What Radio-Television Offer You

Act now to get more of the good things of life. I send actual lesson to prove NRI home training is practical, thorough. My 64-page book "How to be a Success in Radio-Television" shows what my graduates are doing and earning. It gives important facts about your opportunities in Radio-Television. Take NRI training for as little as $5 a month. Many graduates make more than the total cost of my training in two weeks. Mail coupon now to: J. E. SMITH, President, Dept. 4NK, National Radio Institute, Washington 9, D. C. Our 40th year.

**AVAILABLE to all qualified VETERANS UNDER G.I. BILLS**

## Good for Both—FREE

MR. J. E. SMITH, President, Dept. 4NK,
National Radio Institute, Washington 9, D. C.
Mail me Sample Lesson and 64-page Book, FREE.
(No salesman will call. Please write plainly.)

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

City _____ Zone ____ State _____

VETS write in date of discharge _____

**Mail Today—Tested Way to Better Pay**

# I'll Give You a Wrist Watch, Archery Set, Flash Camera or any of 70 BIG PRIZES

## without a cent of cost... MAIL Coupon for FREE Prize Book

### ...PRIZES...MAKE MONEY

Look at the wonderful prizes shown below. They are just a few of the more than 70 I offer you without one cent of cost. You take your choice for selling just one order of 24 packs of my beautiful Christmas Cards at 25c a pack.

**EBONY and SILVER CLARINET**
*with Music Book and Carrying Case*

"Uncle" Harry Bard, the man who has been helping boys and girls earn PRIZES and extra CASH for 36 years.

JEAN, SEE THIS AD OF THE AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO. IT'S AN EASY WAY TO GET THAT CAMERA I WANT
LET'S SEND THE COUPON TODAY I KNOW LOTS OF PEOPLE WHO WANT CHRISTMAS CARDS.
YES, BOBBY, YOUR CHRISTMAS CARDS ARE BEAUTIFUL. THEY'RE A BARGAIN. I'LL TAKE SIX PACKS.
IT WAS FUN AND EASY TO SELL OUR CARDS AND HERE'S THE MAILMAN WITH OUR PRIZES
THIS IS A NEAT CAMERA WHY DON'T YOU FELLOWS SEND THE COUPON TO-DAY- YOU CAN CHOOSE FROM A LOT OF SWELL PRIZES!

### BE FIRST IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Sell my pretty Christmas Packs to your family, friends and neighbors. It's easy. Each pack contains 4 Christmas Cards, 4 envelopes and 32 sparkling Christmas Seals—40 pieces—a big value for 25c. When sold, send me the money and choose your prize from my Big Prize Book. Or, keep $2.00 in cash for each 24-pack order you sell.

Thousands of smart boys and girls have been earning prizes this way for 36 years. You can, too! Paste coupon on postcard or mail in envelope.

**SEND NO MONEY, I TRUST YOU**

**AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO.**
**DEPT. 8, LANCASTER, PENNA.**

**MAIL THIS COUPON Today**

"Uncle" Harry Bard, AMERICAN SPECIALTY CO.
DEPT. 8, LANCASTER, PENNA.

Please send me your BIG PRIZE BOOK and one order of 24 packs of Christmas Cards. I will resell them at 25c a pack, send you the money and choose my prize.

Name_____

Address_____

City_____

State_____

A great outfit that contains powerful, 54-inch Bow, 4 feathered Arrows, Target face and complete instructions.

**ACRO FLASH CAMERA** with Film

This swell outfit includes Camera, Flash Gun and free Film. Has Graf Lens. Takes pictures in black and white or color. Makes beautiful enlargements.

**GRALETT WRIST WATCH** For Boys and Girls

A Guaranteed watch. Handsome Chromium case, unbreakable crystal, genuine leather strap. This attractive wrist watch is given without cost.

**Touchdown!**

**FOOTBALL**

Tough, sturdy, official size and weight football. Choice of brown or white.

**KNIFE-TOOL OUTFIT**

Deluxe knife-tool combination in pocket size carrying case. Tools lock into knife for instant use.

**BOOMERANGS**

A pair of rugged, Australian-style boomerangs. Throw them out—watch them come back to you! Great fun. Instructions included.

**COWBOY JR. GUITAR**

Ideal instrument for beginners. Complete instructions with song book. Has nylon strings.

**PRETTY TRAVEL CASE**

Overnight Case with removable tray. Has mirror, lock and key.

**WALK'ING DOLL**

Here's 11 inches of loveliness that walks, turns her head, moves her eyes, and stands.

**CHEMCRAFT CHEMISTRY SET**

Perform feats of chemical magic with this new Chemcraft Chemistry Set. Magic Book, instructions included.

DAISY
DAISY'S DELUXE TRAINING RIFLE
Daisy's "Big Bang"—loudest play gun. Shoots smoke and noise only. Harmless. Styled like Daisy's famous Air Rifles.

**MAIL THIS COUPON . . . SELL CHRISTMAS CARDS AND EARN PRIZES LIKE THESE**